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PEACE SOON

Judge Taft Gives an Encouraging Account From the Philippines.

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS

Have Been Organized—Many Prominent Leaders Are Making Overtures For Peace.

NATIVES INCLINED TO BE FRIENDLY

Washington, March 7.—In a letter from Judge Taft to Secretary Root on the situation in the Philippines, assurances are given of very great progress towards peace. Many of the most prominent leaders have made overtures on condition of immunity from prosecution. The commission has organized five provincial governments in the past few weeks, and anxiety for provincial government is everywhere apparent. The reception the commission receives everywhere is very encouraging and many natives are professing loyalty.

NEWSPAPER MAN

SELECTED AS CONFIDENTIAL CLERK BY COMMISSIONER YORKES.

Washington, March 7.—Commissioner John W. Yorkes has appointed Harry Giovannoli, a very popular Danville newspaper man, as his confidential clerk. The position is a splendid one and carries with it a salary of eighteen hundred dollars a year.

QUIET SESSION.

NO TROUBLE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TODAY.

London, March 7.—Great crowds thronged the commons today expecting to see a repetition of the stormy sessions, but were disappointed. The session today has been free from all signs of disturbance.

NEW AGENT ARRIVES.

Mr. A. F. Lagerwall, who has been assistant agent of the American Express company at Memphis, arrived in the midnight train and this morning took charge of the American express office here, as successor to Agent A. A. Ulrich, transferred to Jackson, Tenn.

ELLIOTT HELD OVER.

Frank Elliott, of Mayfield, was tried before United States Commissioner J. R. Puryear late yesterday afternoon for retailing whisky without a license and held over for trial at the April term of court. He went to jail, but will probably give bond today some time.

RELATIVES ARE MUTE.

Nothing has been heard from the relatives of Robt. Lee Cole, the young man arrested night before last for stealing two diamond rings. He is in jail here and his attorney has been expecting his father to instruct him what to do.

REV. REID ACCEPTS.

Rev. Reid, of Nashville, who was called to the pastorate of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church here, has accepted, and will arrive April 1st to take charge of the church.

The SUN has no superior any way.

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Y. M. C. A. COMMITTEE.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MET AT LOUISVILLE TO OUTLINE WORK.

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. executive committee at Louisville showed encouraging progress in state work.

The following officers were elected: James Edward Hardy, chairman; C. C. Stoll, vice chairman; George L. Burton, recording secretary; Val P. Collins, treasurer; Henry E. Rosevear, state secretary; F. J. Michel, assistant state secretary; Howard Caldwell, student secretary, and John Lake, county work department secretary.

It was stated that it would be necessary to raise \$8,000 for state work. It was voted to resume the publication of the quarterly known as "Kentucky's Young Men." It was also decided to establish association work at the State Guard encampment this summer to organize a mountain county and to push the railroad work.

Plans for the ensuing year were discussed and it was decided to secure Mr. S. D. Gordon to conduct a series of meetings at five or six colleges in the state, and to hold a presidential conference in Louisville on March 23-24, and a students' conference from December 6 to 8. All of the Y. M. C. A. workers report a bright outlook for their work during the coming year and increased activity among members of the association.

BOERS ACTIVE.

ATTACK BRITISH AT LYCHTENBURG YESTERDAY.

Several British Officers, a Captain and Lieutenant, Among the Slain—Still Fighting.

Pretoria, March 7.—The Boers are once more very active. They attacked the British again yesterday at Lychtenburg and kept up a warm fight all day. Major Fletcher and Lieutenant Hall, two of the British officers are among the slain. The battle is still raging today.

NO ACTION.

SENATE REFUSED TO TAKE ACTION ON MORGAN RESOLUTION.

Washington, March 7.—The senate today refused to take any action at all on the Morgan resolution calling for the abrogation of the famous Clayton-Bulwer treaty.

MARRIED AT LOVELACEVILLE.

Mr. Clarence Scott and Miss Margaret Smith, well known young people of Lovelaceville, were married yesterday afternoon. The groom is son of Mr. Tom Scott, the well known singer, who has frequently conducted choirs in Paducah.

HER SON HERE.

Nashville, March 7.—Mrs. Nancy Culver, mother of Stokes Culver of Paducah is dead in Fentress county, aged 106. Her husband, John Culver, was killed in 1863 by Champ Ferguson a guerrilla leader.

FLANARY'S FIRE.

The grocery of J. M. Flanary on Second street near G. W. Robertson's, caught fire on the lower floor among some boxes about 9:30 last night and most of the stock was ruined by fire and water. Loss about \$1,000 partially covered by insurance.

SUITS FILED.

W. R. Holland against John Wimberly, for \$102.56 on account.
G. T. Smith and W. R. Holland against J. S. Peel and others for \$60 on a note.

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The Irish Storm in the House of Commons Continues to Rage.

REDMOND DEFENDS IRISH

He Claims That the Scene Was Caused By a Trick of the Governments.

MOTION FOR PUNISHMENT TODAY

London, March 7.—The excitement occasioned by last night's scenes in the house of commons is still very evident; and when the house met at noon today, in view of the possible disturbance, the whole police force on duty at St. Stephens had been mobilized and reinforced by reserves.

Mr. John Redmond speedily rose and raised a question of privilege arising from "the painful scenes of last night." He claimed that members had been suspended without proper steps being taken to identify them and that their removal had been accompanied by undue violence. He was satisfied, he said, that members were suspended who had actually gone to the lobby to participate in the division.

The speaker, interrupting, pointed out that Mr. Redmond was not raising a question of privilege but a point of order. If he was properly informed of any wrongful suspension he, the speaker, would be glad to take steps to rectify them.

Mr. Redmond tried to move an adjournment and appealed to Mr. Balfour to give the members an opportunity for discussion. Mr. Balfour, remarking that he presumed it was desired to institute means for preventing a recurrence of the scenes of last night, promised to consider what opportunity for discussion could be given.

Mr. Balfour subsequently gave notice of a motion to be made tomorrow to suspend such offenders, hereafter, for the remainder of the session.

THE GOLCONDA.

THE STEAMER WILL BE SOLD ON MARCH 16 BY THE DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL.

The steamer, City of Golconda, owned by Captain A. A. Peck, is to be sold to the highest bidder by Deputy U. S. Marshal Saunders at 10 o'clock on Saturday, March 16. The total amount of liens thus far filed against her is near \$1,000, with still others to come in.

THE WEATHER.

There has been a decided moderation in the weather since yesterday. Last night 30 degrees was the lowest. Today the forecast is for continued fair weather, with increased cloudiness tonight and probably rain tomorrow.

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And Stove Company.

MAYFIELD CASE.

A TAX RATE ORDINANCE FOR WATER SUPPLY IS UPHOLD.

Judge DuRelle, of the court of appeals, yesterday at Frankfort handed down an opinion affirming the judgment of the Graves circuit court in the case of the Mayfield Woolen Mills company and others against the city of Mayfield. The appellants sued the city, seeking to enjoin the collection of twenty-five cents off the tax rate for 1900 for water supply. The lower court upheld the ordinance providing for the increase of the rate.

SEVEN DERAILED.

LINE BLOCKED AT HENNINGS BY A FREIGHT TRAIN THIS MORNING.

There was a derailment at Hennings, Tenn., this morning before daylight on the Illinois Central, of freight train No. 155, first section, in charge of Conductor Hays and Engineer Warner. A car broke down and resulted in seven other cars to leave the track. After a considerable delay the track was cleared by the wrecker.

T. J. FLOURNOY.

HE IS CHAIRMAN OF THE MINE OWNERS AND OPERATORS'

Convention at Louisville—The Miners Demand a 15 Per Cent. Advance—A Compromise Hoped For.

Mr. T. J. Flournoy, of the city, is permanent chairman of the joint convention of Kentucky Mineworkers and Operators in session at Louisville. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the wage scale for the ensuing year, the present scale expiring April 1. About fifty delegates are in attendance.

Among those in attendance are: President Wood, of the Mine Workers union, Central City; W. J. Campbell, of Central City, district secretary-treasurer; W. R. Fairley, of Indianapolis, member of the National association; J. M. Bradley, of the District Executive board of Kentucky, representing the organization at Indianapolis. The delegates are nearly all young men, and some of them are colored. All of them are intelligent representatives of the miners.

The operators are represented principally by J. P. Barnard, of Louisville, president of the Coal Operators' association, and Guy M. Dean, of Owensboro, secretary of the same association. The principal coal companies represented are as follows: Taylor Coal company, Central Coal and Iron company, Paducah Coal and Mining company, Tradewater Coal company, Bevier Coal company, Black Diamond Coal company, Mud River Coal company.

The proposition submitted last evening by the miners calls for a fifteen per cent advance and the one offered by the operators is for a ten per cent reduction.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Pearl, the 13-year-old daughter of Wm. Childers, of near Brooklyn, Ill., died yesterday from burns received Tuesday by her clothing catching fire from the stove.

Cure-Cold
Stops the cough and cures the cold in 12 hours without nauseating. Price 15 cents.

MANGLED IN A MILL

Thomas Stewart, a Sawyer, Meets a Horrible Fate at the Paducah Veneer Mill.

WAS CAUGHT IN THE SAW

He Was Told That He Had But a Short Time to Live and Bade His Family Goodbye.

HE LIVED BUT HALF AN HOUR

Thomas Stewart, aged about 35, an employe at the Paducah Veneer and Lumber company's mill in Mechanicsburg, met a horrible fate shortly after 11 o'clock this morning.

He was a sawyer at the mill, and in some manner, was caught in the rigging while working with a log, and was carried over into the knife.

He was horribly mangled, the hip joint being sawed off, chest cut out, right hand cut off, left heel and right toe severed.

The wounded man was taken to his home on Meyers street and Drs. Troutman and Redlick called. He was told he could live but a short time, and bade his wife and three children good bye.

He soon lapsed into unconsciousness and died about half an hour after the accident.

The deceased came here some little time ago from Shawneetown, Ill., and was a hard working sober citizen.

The accident which deprived him of life was unavoidable, and a jell of gloom was cast over his fellow workmen by the sad and unexpected tragedy.

The funeral will probably occur some time tomorrow.

MEDICAL SOCIETY

AN INTERESTING MEETING WITH DR. BROOKS AND DR. SIGHTS

Last Night—Dr. Brooks Recounts an Interesting Incident Illustrating the Subject Discussed.

The Paducah Medical and Surgical society met with Drs. Brooks and Sights last night, and Dr. Brooks read an instructive paper on "Carbolic Acid."

It is a recent discovery that alcohol is an absolute antidote for carbolic acid, either taken internally or externally. It completely destroys the toxic effects without in the least affecting the beneficial properties or results of the poison. As a result of this discovery, carbolic acid may be rubbed on the body or swallowed, and if alcohol is applied or swallowed immediately there will be no disagreeable results.

A young lady in another place a few days ago took two ounces of carbolic acid. She was given four ounces of alcohol and was soon well. Either the acid or the alcohol would have killed her had they not been used in antithetical effect.

Dr. Brooks related an interesting experiment of his own. A few days ago he and Dr. Sights heard of the alcohol antidote and decided to try it. Dr. Sights poured carbolic acid on his hand and then poured on the alcohol and there was no perceptible trace left of the powerful poison.

"Maybe it isn't strong," remarked Dr. Brooks, as he raised the bottle to his nostrils and started to smell it. It spurted up and flew all over his face, dripping from his spectacles and off his chin. Dr. Sights, who happened to have the alcohol bottle in his hand, quickly applied it, and Dr. Brooks experienced no effects from the drastic acid which otherwise would have removed every bit of the cuticle from his face.

KILLED HUSBAND.

PROMINENT KANSAS WOMAN ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

Topeka, Kan., March 7.—Mrs. Myrtle Webster, a very prominent woman of Topeka, was arrested today charged with killing her husband this morning by cutting his throat.

Gives University a Chemical Library.
William A. Proctor, of Cincinnati, has just made his third important gift to the university of Cincinnati. This is the chemical library of 2,000 volumes, many very rare, collected by Dr. T. H. Norton. Mr. Proctor has also given the celebrated Robert Clarke collection of illuminated manuscripts and Ohio history and the Enoch Carson Shakespearean collection, which includes the famous Burton Shakespeare.

GEO. W. PARKER

NOMINATED FOR MAYOR OF ST. LOUIS BY REPUBLICANS.

St. Louis, March 7.—Geo. W. Parker will be the world's fair mayor.

The Republicans of St. Louis spoke with no uncertain voice at the open primaries held yesterday and the result is shown in the selection of strong men as the candidates of the party for city offices at the coming spring election. There has never been any doubt in the minds of right thinking men as to the result of the contest for the party's favor, but not everybody thought that Mr. George W. Parker's victory would be so overwhelming. Selected as he was at a conference of the leaders of all representative clubs and organizations in the party, Mr. Parker, in his contest for the party's favor, represented all elements in the party, and the results of the voting at the primaries show that all elements of the party voted for him.

WATER GAVE OUT.

KENTUCKIANS' CAR RUNS SHORT OF WATER, STRNCE TO SAY.

Mr. L. S. DuBois and wife returned last night from Washington. Quite a delegation of Kentuckians came down from Washington on a special car, and a funny incident was that all the water on the car gave out.

The passengers had a great deal of fun over the rather inexplicable occurrence.

DEATH OF MRS. CALDWELL.

Letters from Dr. Delia Caldwell, who is at Carbondale, Ill., where she was called by the illness of her mother, state that the latter died Tuesday afternoon late. The funeral took place today. The deceased was quite a venerable lady, and had been ill for quite a while. Dr. Caldwell's many friends here will sympathize with her in her bereavement.

GETTING READY FOR BUSINESS.

Articles of incorporation for the new newspaper mentioned a few days ago are being prepared today.

Advertise in SUN for results.

GERMAN EMPEROR

Was Wounded on the Cheek Yesterday While Out Driving.

ASSAILANT WEAK MINDED

The Wound Is Not a Very Serious One, Although It is Quite Painful.

HE IS RESTING VERY WELL TODAY

Berlin, March 7.—Emperor William was assaulted and wounded yesterday while out for a drive. His assailant was a weak-minded man, an epileptic. While the wound is a very painful one it is nowise dangerous, and the emperor is resting well today.

COUSINS MARRY.

THEY ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS AND ARE MARRIED BY REV. PERRYMAN.

Mr. Charles M. Quigley, aged 32, a railroad man of St. Louis, and Mrs. Sarah Riley, aged 29, of East St. Louis, arrived on the morning train, which was five hours late, and were married at 11 o'clock by Rev. G. W. Perryman, at the First Baptist church parsonage. They left immediately for home. The couple are cousins.

Died at Age of 111.
M. Claude Botton, who died recently at Ranchal, near Villefranche, France, was born in 1789 and had consequently attained the prodigious age of one hundred and eleven. He was perfectly healthy and well remembered the events of his boyhood. Curiously enough, he died not of old age, but from an accidental fall. There is no doubt of his age, as his birth is recorded in the birth register of Saint-Germain-la-Montagne.

POLICE COURT.

A NUMBER OF PRISONERS GET JUSTICE.

Kid Dovey, colored, for flourishing a pistol, pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs.

Everett Belt, who was alleged to have threatened Fred Hall with a butcher knife, and to have abused him to a queen's taste, pleaded guilty and was fined \$10 and recognized in the sum of \$200 for his good behavior.

Mike Murray, for breaking off the door bell at a West Court street house and carrying away a spittoon under each arm, was fined \$5 and costs.

Harry Jones, who claims he and his wife walked here from Fort Donaldson, Tenn., was fined \$1 for being drunk. Rev. Chiles had secured a job at Kilgore's for him, but it seems he couldn't stand the sudden good fortune without an appropriate celebration, so he got drunk. He expressed surprise at the fine assessed against him but the court asked him if he expected to come here, get drunk and then get a chrono for it.

Andrew Boyd and Clarence James, colored boys, about 19, were presented on a charge of breaking into Frank Ward's saloon at Tenth and Caldwell and stealing a quantity of goods. Officer Orr arrested them and they professed ignorance of anything like a burglary. The case was continued until tomorrow.

The case against Ed Overby and Mrs. Culver was continued.

Charles Johnson, the negro charged with obtaining \$4 by false pretenses from Tom Emery, the lower Court street saloon keeper, was held to answer and in default of bond remanded to jail.

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In Ladies' Fine Shoes, and consist of broken lots of some of the Finest \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 goods in the House.

LOT I. \$1.00 A Ladies' Fine Hand Turned Lace Shoe, Narrow toe, Patent tip. Sizes 2 1-2 to 4 1-2.	LOT III. \$1.00 Ladies' Extension Sole Button, Coin or Square Toe Patent Tip. Sizes 3 1-2 to 7.	LOT V. \$1.00 Ladies' Red and Black Satin Fur Lined Juliet's cut from \$1.50.
LOT II. \$1.00 Ladies' Narrow Toe Button, Hand Turned Patent or Kid Tip. Sizes 2 1-2 to 5 1-2.	LOT IV. \$1.00 Ladies' Tan Vici in Button or Lace, Narrow and Coin Toes, Heel and Spring Heel. All sizes.	400 pairs Misses' Button and Lace Shoes cut from \$2.00 and \$1.50 to \$1.00. Sizes 11 to 2.

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52-inch fine gray mixed cheviot, 98c a yard.

53-inch stripe camel's hair in light and dark brown, blue and castor, regular \$1.50 goods, for 98c a yard.

54-inch heavy black cheviot, \$1.25.

50-inch unfinished cheviot, 75c per yard.

55-inch heavy black pebble cheviot, \$1 a yard.

B. autiful silk finished henriettas in the latest shades, 69c a yard.

56-inch strictly all-wool light and dark gray suiting, 69c a yard.

54-inch plaid back home-pun, \$1 a yard.

Our new heavy double faced kersey cloth, in grays, blues, brown and black, especially for short skirts, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 a yard.

NEW SILKS.

1) pieces heavy 83c taffeta silk in assorted shades, especially for waists and linings, only 49c a yard.

20-inch heavy bengaline silks in beautiful light shades for fancy evening waists, 75c and 85c a yard.

Beautiful silk poplins in light shades, for early spring waists, \$1 a yard.

Beautiful silk foulard in persian patterns and polka dot, \$1.00 and \$1.49 a yard.

FANCY HOSIERY.

Ladies' fancy colored drop stitch hose, 25c. Ladies' Scotch plaid hose in all fancy shades, 49c a pair.

Men's fancy colored half hose, 25c and 50c a pair.

Men's black fine finished fancy lace work half hose, 25c a pair.

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Heavy half-bleached table linen, 35c a yard.

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\$3.98 buys Men's Box Calf or Vici High Cut, were \$5.00

\$2.48 buys Men's Box Calf Calf lined, sold at \$3.00 and \$3.50

\$2.48 buys Men's Tan Russia Calf lined, were \$4.00

\$2.68 buys Men's Vici Calf lined, were \$3.50

\$2.43 buys Women's Box Calf elegant shoe, were \$3.00

\$1.98 buys Men's Calf lined Vici, were \$2.50

\$1.68 buys Women's Rainy-Day Boot, were \$2.00 and \$2.50

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A DAILY THOUGHT.

Take all in a word; the truth in God's breast.
Lies trace for trace upon ours impressed;
Though He is so bright and we are so dim,
We are made in His image to witness Him.
—Robert Browning.

"Teddy" started early revolutionizing the senate.

The steel trust has invaded Germany. Herr Krupp had better be alert.

England has decided to adopt a protective tariff. Score another for Uncle Sam.

The Irish members of parliament have decided to use some of their fighting talent in their own behalf.

Ex-Congressman Berry is slated for one of the St. Louis fair commissioners. He deserves it and all Kentuckians would be pleased to see him selected.

Geo. W. Parker has been nominated by the Republicans of St. Louis for world's fair mayor. Mr. Parker is well known in Paducah and his friends will be pleased to learn of his honor.

The defeat of the rivers and harbors bill is most unfortunate, especially for the prosecution of the work on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. But it is quite probable that the members of congress have learned something and that the next time the bill will not contain so many appropriations of doubtful value as the defeated bill contained.

It is greatly to be regretted that the appropriation of \$250,000 for the Charleston, S. C., exposition failed to pass. But this is still the day of practical politics and the millennium has not arrived by any means. Not a state in the whole south has taken more pains to exploit its opposition to Republicanism than has the state of South Carolina. The South is today most unfortunately in a state of political isolation, placed there by the voluntary action of her own people who persist in placing themselves in direct opposition to the policy of the Republican party on all the great questions of the day. Notwithstanding the fact that the greatest industrial revival of the age is taking place now in the Southern states; in the face of the fact that the traditional politics of the Republican party are today better suited to the industrial situation in the South than in the Eastern states, which have become rich in the past as a result of Republican legislation, in spite of these facts the Republican party can count on the opposition of the South whenever the polls are opened. The election of Bryan would have been a most disastrous blow to the business interests of the South and no one knew it better than the Southern business men, and yet the Southern states, excepting Maryland and West Virginia, cast their votes for Bryanism, trusting to the states of the North and the West to offset their votes and to defeat the very candidate and policy to which they were giving their unqualified and apparently enthusiastic support. No president has done more to "conciliate" the south than has President McKinley. By word and deed he has extended the olive branch. In the late Spanish-American war, the south was treated with the utmost generosity. But when the issue of sound money versus free silver was presented to the people, when the south had an opportunity to choose between tried business principles and Bryanism with all its speculative and visionary theories, it was at once made known that the south would give her votes to Bryan; and yet her people wonder why it is that the Republican members of congress do not rally enthusiastically at every opportunity to do something for the South. Again we say it is to be regretted that the item of \$250,000 for the Charleston exposition did not pass. It was but a small request in behalf of a project that will really, if carried out, be of great benefit to the Southern states. But in view of the studied political course of the South, in view of her self sought political isolation, it is not at all to be wondered that the request was refused especially when coming from a state that keeps the unspeakable Ben Tillman in the senate as the personification of Southern feeling.

Governor Beckham has one satisfaction—the people of the state are

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Black 7-gored Flaring Skirts reduced from \$1.50 to \$1.10.
Plaid 7-gored Flaring Skirts reduced from \$6.50 to \$4.25.
Plaid 7-gored Flaring Skirts reduced from \$4.98 to \$3.00.
Our Rainy-day Skirts for \$1.98 cannot be equalled in the city.
A better one for \$2.98, and an extra quality, double faced Golf Skirt for \$3.98.
An elegant line of shopping Skirts for \$6.98.
Don't fail to see the swell line of new silk Applique and Tucked Taffeta Skirts. Also the Flounced Wool ones just received at

E. GUTHRIE & CO'S.,
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thinking about him. He is enjoying the proud distinction of being probably the only state governor who ever dared to champion openly and unflinchingly the cause of gamblers. It is not an uncommon occurrence for officers of the law to compromise with certain violators of the law by the payment of a "fine" assessed by the officers themselves; but no officials have ever been found hardy or brazen enough to allow gamblers to walk into court every three months and make an arrangement whereby they could violate the law for three months more. As apathetic as public opinion is, it would flame forth in righteous indignation, should such a course even be suggested. Even in Louisville, where the gamblers flourished so long in perfect security, the policemen and prosecuting attorneys excused themselves by declaring that no gambling was carried on in the city. Even such old stagers as the Louisville police force had not the bravado to face public opinion with the admission that gambling did actually exist in that city. But young Mr. Beckham, who is for the time being the chief executive of the state, casts aside all semblance of respect for public opinion and with brazen effrontery and most insulting reflections upon the honor and probity of the circuit court of Louisville, makes the cause of the gamblers his own and throws over the most infamous dens of vice in the state the protection of his pardoning power as governor. But such is Goebellism. The transition from the condemnation of election frauds to the pardoning of gamblers is not a long leap. The favors of a governor who owes his very official existence to crimes committed at the ballot box will find their natural level when pleading the cause of gamblers and other violators of the law.

A bill is before the Indiana legislature which proposes to deal with the divorce question in a practical and business-like manner. Recent investigations show that for every five marriages in Indiana there is one divorce, a most startling proportion. The bill in question proposes to remove the causes for divorce by preventing as far as possible illy chosen marriages. It is proposed to have a commission, appointed by the governor and composed of two physicians, two laeists, who are mothers, and one lawyer, which shall prepare rules governing the issuance of marriage licenses, the performance of the marriage ceremony and also a set of questions that must be answered by the applicants for marriage license. In other words can dilates for marriage must pass an examination before even the license will be issued. This is certainly a move in the right direction and will prevent many hasty or illy advised marriages. "The state is vitally interested in the health and happiness of its citizens and in no better way can this interest be guarded than by regulating marriages."

THE CRITIC STARTS AGAIN.

The Louisville Critic, formerly published by Mr. Dan E. O'Sullivan, and which suspended sometime ago, will be resumed next Wednesday. Mr. Ben F. Shippold will be manager and Mr. Ed Shinnick, formerly of the Shelbyville Sentinel, editor. The paper will be similar to the former Critic.

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By E. J. KEYES.

Dinner was being served at the bungalow of the consul-general at Bankok.

The omnipresent punkab waved noiselessly overhead, cooling the evening air, which was heavy with the odor of the lotus flowers. The guests conversed gaily in language foreign to their own. For a moment tongue is essential to friendships in Siam.

The men, and the women, too, with one exception were dressed in spotless white. This exception proved to be the most beautiful woman in the room. Perhaps, as she had passed the heyday of her youth, she considered her black gown as more appropriate, and the fact that the absolute purity of her skin shone with exquisite beauty against that gown was beyond argument.

There was a lull in the conversation. "Appropos of your last remark on the duty of a man toward a woman who loves him," said the Honorable Raleigh Carter, as he turned to a member of the French legation on his left, "I should like to tell you a story."

The attention of the table was his in an instant, for the minister told a story well—a rare accomplishment. "Years ago," he began, "no matter the number, a young fellow we will call Wainwright was a student at Harvard. He went there, fresh from a country town, more of a boy than most men at his age, with simplicity and goodness written on his face, and a desire to gain friends that was envied him by many. He was so much in earnest in everything he did his attentions were so rare and so courteous that he instantly became a prominent figure at the college social functions.

"At one of these he met the sweetest, most lovable young woman he had ever imagined. She was the sister of his room-mate, and through him the intimacy ripened.

"You are the one fellow on earth who is good enough for Isabel," he often told him, but Wainwright was silent.

"Back in that little village he remembered clinging arms, a farewell kiss, a promise of eternal faith. He knew then, too late perhaps, that he had never loved her, that she could never reach those deep-laid chords that his clever, refined young woman of the world had struck into harmony at once.

"As the year passed it became part of his regime to spend the end of each week at her home, and at last they found themselves alone. It was a perfect night—starlit, red with the springtime—a night for love.

"They were standing together by an open window, and a passing zephyr blew a lock of her hair across his eyes. At the moment it was the one thing needful to blind him to the past. With a motion that was the tenderest invitation he held out his arms; with a movement as natural Isabel laid her head upon his breast. Words were not necessary; their love was unbreakable.

"Afterwards when the influences were changed, Wainwright was wrung with remorse. He knew his relations to both were dishonorable and he determined to break with the other woman."

Here the Frenchman interrupted. "Quite right," he vouchsafed. "Even a man's word of honor cannot compel him to marry a woman he no longer loves."

For a moment the Honorable Mr. Carter was silent. Outside came the swish of cars in the adjacent river and the strain of a song borne on the mellow, languorous air.

The woman in the black gown, who sat directly opposite him, had dropped her handkerchief, and when she regained it he again took up the thread. "In a short time Wainwright's father died, and the lad left college never to return. He went back to that distasteful village, commenced his life there, he had left it off and found that every-

thing was changed, that nothing could be the same again. The blue eyes, the sympathetic hand-touch, the tender voice were nothing to him now, and yet hating to pain one who so loved him, he could not bring himself to tell her."

The gentleman from France smiled contemptuously.

"And so ruined his own life and the



She was leaning indolently against the porch rail.

other woman's. The odds were in favor of the other way," he remarked.

"Perhaps," said the consul grimly. Time passed. So things drifted and at last Wainwright enclosed a newspaper clipping in an envelope and addressed it to Isabel. It was the announcement of his own marriage. He felt the woman he had loved, and at the time he prayed she would.

The wife passed and with them the wife, but the love look was ever on her face, for no action of Wainwright had disabused her mind of the belief that she was all to him. Finally, his stern sense of duty asserted, he sought the world again. He met Isabel then—the ever-ready Frenchman pursued his lips incredulously.

"And she still loved him?" he inquired.

"That I never knew," was the answer.

"There was an unmistakable something always between them—their relations were those of strangers and he could never close the breach. He longed to tell her what his life had been; as a woman who knew the world he felt she would forgive him, and if she forgave him, might she not love him?"

Once again the Frenchman leaned forward.

"He should have told her the story. He should have asked for her love," he said emphatically.

The consul-general raised his eyes from the wine glass in his fingers, and his glance shot piercingly across the table.

"He has done both," he replied, giving the signal to arise.

Later, when most of the guests had sought cooler, more secluded spots under the banyans and palms of the lawn, a solitary black-gowned figure leaned indolently against a pillar of the veranda. Despite the haughty uplifting of her head the brilliant oriental night could not hide the sorrowfully drooping mouth, and her hand trembled visibly against the railing as the consul appeared within the doorway.

He stood there a moment—a noble and impressive figure, then walked slowly towards her.

"Isabel," he said, softly, "my story awaits its ending."

She was silent, and the sad note of a night-bird came softly from a far-off tree.

Again he spoke and every word was subtle pleading.

"It has been so long—so long with-out you, my love," he whispered. Her hand dropped and fell against his own.

"So long, my love," she echoed softly. Her face was turned from him, but he placed his hand upon her forehead, and drawing her head gently backwards till it rested on his heart, he kissed her on the lips.

Old Sun Dial.

Among the Montagnais Indians a crude form of sun dial is used in hunting to let the squaws, who follow their lords and masters, know whether they may "take it easy" or "hurry up," for they might fear badly if they lagged behind when their husbands were ready for supper. And so the men when hunting erect in the snow a stick at some well known place and draw the exact line of the stick's shadow on the snow before going on. When the women arrive there with their pots and other cooking utensils they note the new line of the shadow, and by observing the angle which it forms with the line already drawn in the snow they can tell how far ahead their husbands are.

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NOTICE OF SALE Paducah Gas Light Company PADUCAH, KENTUCKY.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a decree of foreclosure and sale made and entered by the Circuit Court of the United States for the district of Kentucky on the 5th day of June, 1900, in a certain action therein pending wherein the Farmer's Loan and Trust Company is complainant and the Paducah Gas Light Company is defendant, L. Emmet W. Bagby, Master Commissioner, has been appointed for that purpose will on the 20th day of March, 1901, at the door of the Court House of the County of McCracken, in the city of Paducah, State of Kentucky, at twelve o'clock noon offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder the rights, properties and franchises described in said decree, to-wit:

All and singular the rights and franchises which the defendant, the Paducah Gas Light Company owns, enjoys and is possessed of, under and by virtue of its charter, passed by the legislature of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, known as an act to incorporate the Paducah Gas Light Company, approved February 27, 1886, and all amendments thereto granted and passed since that time, empowering the defendant to manufacture and vend and furnish the city of Paducah and its citizens illuminating gas over electric light. Also and singular the real estate situated in the City of Paducah, McCracken County, State of Kentucky, owned by the defendant, described as follows: Being one-half of block number eight (8), in Addition D, to the City of Paducah fronting three hundred and forty-six (46) feet on Locust street and running back for depth three hundred and thirty-three (333) feet and three (3) inches, together with all and singular the rights, buildings, improvements and machinery thereon situated, or used or employed in the manufacture of gas machinery, tools, supplies and appliances.

Also the following described real estate, situated in the said city of Paducah, Kentucky, in block number six (6), in Addition D, to said City, commencing in said block on Locust street, fifty-seven (57) feet and nine (9) inches from the corner of Monroe and Locust streets; thence running in a northerly direction with Locust street one hundred and fifteen (115) feet and six (6) inches; thence at right angles three hundred and forty-six (46) feet and six (6) inches to Market street; thence with Market street one hundred and seventy-three (173) feet and three (3) inches to Monroe street; thence with Monroe street one hundred and seventy-three (173) feet and three (3) inches; thence at right angles fifty-seven (57) feet and nine (9) inches toward Madison street; thence at right angles one hundred and seventy-three (173) feet and three (3) inches to the beginning, embracing lots and numbers two (2) thirty-one (31), thirty-eight (38), thirty-nine (39), fifty-eight (58) and fifty-nine (59), in said block number six (6), together with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon, or rights or appurtenances thereunto belonging, and all lots of ground, and in addition to the real estate herein conveyed, all and singular any other real estate that may be owned by the defendant, and also all and singular its right of way in and over the streets of the City of Paducah, for the purpose of laying gas mains and service pipes, and all and singular its gas mains and service pipes laid in the said City of Paducah, and all other acquired mains or pipes laid in connection with said works, and all lamp posts and lamps now owned or which may be hereafter acquired by the defendant, together with all tools, apparatus, machinery, meters or other property now owned by the defendant, or that it may hereafter acquire or own for the purposes or use of said company in its business, including office furniture and fixtures, the true intent and meaning of this decree being to include all the franchises, rights and property now owned or hereafter to be acquired by the defendant.

The said properties will be sold as an entirety and without an apportionment or right of redemption.

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Without thirty days after the confirmation of the sale or such further time as the court may allow on application of the purchaser for good cause shown, the purchaser or purchasers of said property shall complete payment of the entire amount.

Reference is hereby made to said decree for further particulars concerning said rights, property and franchises, and the terms and conditions under which the same will be sold.

No bid for said property and franchises less than Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000) will be accepted.

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Observations ...at Random

They are always discovering strange things down at Metropolis. The latest "find" since the dead negro scare a few weeks ago, was made by two fishermen, who caught in their net a white perch from the waters of Lake Michigan. The perch was shown to a newspaper reporter, which is conclusive evidence that it was caught by the fishermen in their net. The fact that it was caught in the net being thus clearly established, the next question is, where did it come from?

As white perch are not allowed by some inexorable law of nature to exist anywhere except Lake Michigan, and a live one was found at Metropolis, Ill., it naturally follows that the fish swam all the way from Lake Michigan to Metropolis, Illinois. This journey he accomplished alone. His itinerary was through Chicago river and the drainage canal, down on the Illinois into the Mississippi. Upon reaching Cairo, the enterprising piscatorial pilgrim doubtless inquired the way to Metropolis, and swam on up until he found himself in the fisherman's net. When he found he was caught he knew he was in Metropolis at last. The career of the fish indicates to the fisherman that in a short time the Ohio will be well stocked with white perch from Lake Michigan, via Chicago and Illinois rivers, the drainage canal and Mississippi river.

Some of the antics of the "yaps" who come in on trains and ride to town on the depot line of street cars, are worth an hour's entertainment in some vaudeville house—only on the cars you know you're up against the real thing—that there's no "make believe" about it. It requires a peculiar sort of philanthropy to see without vigorous protest or a fight, a yoke go up to the door, throw it wide open and let a cake of north wind eight-by-four feet come crackling through your whiskers while the hayseed gets change for a dime—and then drops both nickels into the slot, one for himself and one for his friend. It doubtless never occurs to him until he gets back home and has had time to think it out, that the dime would have suited Uncle George just as well as the two nickels.

Some of the rural visitors imagine everybody except themselves is the conductor, and never hesitate to ask for anything from change for a dollar and a half to minute directions to where their Uncle Philander Jones lives. The man who wobbles about and tramps on the toes of everybody except those he's falling over and enclosing in a mad embrace, redolent of hay fields and bacon gravy, as the car shoots around the curves, is surprised only by the man who jumps up as he recognizes some familiar landmark and knowing no other way to stop the car shouts in a Johnny-come-lately voice, "Hay! That! Stop! That! This is where I want to get off!"
And then, some of the motormen! They act like first cousins twice removed to the yokels. Every time a man asks for change they stop the car so the other motorman on the switch will have more time to jump around on the front platform to keep his feet warm, and ease the weather.

He sometimes finds he is two fares short, and after yelling "Pass up your fares" and stopping the car until the delinquent pays up, finds out that the missing nickels are in the other fare box. The "jay" on the back seat, who is never bothered with street cars at home, thought one box would do as well as another.

Another peculiar thing about the street cars is that on this line three cars make ten-minute trips and the other one passes every twenty minutes. It always happens, especially when one is in a hurry, that he invariably catches the 20-minute car.

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The awful bubonic plague, which has been ravaging India, where its victims have been numbered by scores of thousands, has invaded London, according to a report made to the Marine Hospital service at Washington by our representatives in England, and fears are felt that it may be transmitted to America through the persons of travelers or shipment of merchandise. Already four cases have been discovered in London, and two deaths have resulted.

The bubonic plague is the same disease that has been known in history as the Levantine plague, the Oriental plague, the Black plague, and the Black Death. It has raged repeatedly in Asia, Africa and Europe in the last 13 centuries. Manetto, an Egyptian historian, who lived at the beginning of the third century, B. C., described pestilences, supposed to have been the bubonic plague, as having occurred in the reign of the most ancient Egyptian kings.

The plague prevailed in Athens 432-429 B. C. Thucydides had described it and had the disease. Hippocrates, too, noted it. Athens is said to have lost more than one-third of its population in one epidemic. It is reported to have been known in Syria, Egypt, and Libya during Trojan's reign early in the Christian era.

The first well authenticated invasion of Europe occurred about 545-548, the pestilence appearing at Constantinople and spreading to Italy and Gaul. The next great invasion began about 1348, and preceded from Tartary to the Crimea and Sicily, whence it reached pretty well over the continent of Europe and across into England. At regular intervals, for more than three centuries, it swept this city and that with appalling havoc, reappearing again and again at the same spot.

Among the most impressive death records of that period are the following:
1572-Danville 80,000
1566-Paris 40,000
1579-Moscow 200,000
1572-Lyon 50,000
1576-Venice 70,000
1556-Naples 300,000
1645-London 85,596

The last item in the table gives the figures in the London plague, no prominent in English history. It is known that this number of deaths was out of a population of 460,000, and that nearly one-third of the deaths of the English capital died from the city in four days.

In the eighteenth century the plague spread over Persia. Out of a population of 250,000, 87,659 are said to have died. Sicily was visited in 1743, at Messina, where the mortality was between 40,000 and 50,000. In 1771 it broke out in Moscow, and more than 50,000 persons—nearly one-quarter of the population—were carried off.

During the sixteenth century China was "bubonic depopulated" with the plague, it is said, while in the single year 1603 no less than 1,000,000 lives were lost in Egypt.
An isolated epidemic appeared in Greece in 1828. It appeared in Egypt between 1832 and 1845, the last plague epidemic observed in that country and marking its great eastward recession. There was an epidemic of extreme severity in Cairo in 1835, during which there died a number of the inhabitants equal to the whole adult male population.

In 1840 Delmatia, in 1841 Constantinople, and in 1842 and 1844 the eastern part of Egypt were its western boundaries.
Since 1850 the western limit of the plague has been the Canary Islands, while its eastern limit has been the island of Formosa, off the coast of China, where it now prevails. Since 1850 the disease has oscillated, now east and now west, between the Red sea and the Pacific, in China, India, Arabia, Persia, Mesopotamia, Russia, Caspian sea, Afghanistan and Tripoli. There have been since 1850 but nine years when it has not been recorded in one or the other of those countries. The last outbreak of the plague in Europe was in 1878 and 1879 on the banks of the Volga.

The plague broke out in virulent epidemic form in 1895 in Tonkin and Hongkong. Within a short time it reached and laid firm hold of Bombay, Kurrahee and Poonah. The plague still maintains its grip in these places, as well as in Hongkong, Amoy and Formosa. Its march has been steadily westward.

After appearing at Suez, Alexandria and Port Said, it finally reached Europe. In Vienna, in October, 1895, occurred the deaths of Herr Barisch and Dr. Mueller, of the Vienna Bacteriological establishment. Last winter the plague broke out in Manila, Honolulu, New Caledonia, New South Wales and in Oporto.

It reached the Brazils last year, claiming victims by the hundreds. Modern science has so advanced, however, that in countries with proper sanitation the plague is not so greatly dreaded as in days of old.

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Latest census reports show that Kansas City has increased 31,036 to 163,752 population; Pittsburgh, 82,929 to 221,616, and New Orleans, 45,065 to 287,104.

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SUES ON NOTE.
Green & Son, of Louisville, have filed suit against L. P. Wiley and E. Y. Ogilvie for about \$890 on two notes.

NOTICE.
E. P. Gilson & Co. and others, against Steamship City of Golconda.

Pursuant to an order of the United States district court, at Paducah, Ky., entered on the 7th day of March, 1901, in the above styled action, I will on Saturday, March 16, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the port of Paducah, Ky., sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the steamship City of Golconda, her engines, tackle, apparel, furniture, etc., to satisfy the claims in said actions.

A. D. JAMES, U. S. M. K. D.
By G. W. SAUNDERS, Deputy.
E. W. BAGBY, CAMPBELL & CAMPBELL, and BLOOMFIELD & ORICE, Proctors for Libellants.
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No one knows the unbearable torture one undergoes from piles unless they are so afflicted. TABLER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT is a quick, safe and painless cure. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents.
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EXPECTED TONIGHT.
A telegram was today received from Adjutant General Murray, of Frankfort, saying he would arrive tonight. He was expected Tuesday.

Continuous Bath Seven Weeks.
Oscar D. Carpenter of South Bend has been enjoying a continuous bath for the past seven weeks, says the Chicago Chronicle. For almost a year he has been suffering torture from a sort of eczema, which refused to yield to treatment. Seven weeks ago, as a last resort, he was placed in a bath, the water being impregnated with some sort of chemical. It has been up to his chin ever since and has experienced much improvement.

Foley's Honey and Tar
heals lungs and stops the cough.

Our Electorate Numerically Largest.
The United States has an electorate four times as numerous as that of the United Kingdom, and two or three times as large as that of the entire self-governing British empire throughout the world. It is also about as large as the electorate of France and Germany put together.

POCKET MAP OF CHINA.
Latest indexed map of Chinese Empire, with enlarged map of portion of China where difficulty exists, and other valuable information relating to present crisis. Copy mailed on receipt of two cents in postage, by W. B. Kniskern, 22 Fifth avenue, Chicago, Ill. 5m6

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At all druggists. The best known remedy for coughs and colds. Does not nauseate or irritate. Price 25 cents.

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STR. CLYDE
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This company is not responsible for voice charges unless collected by the clerk of the boat.

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Why go with your body full of pain or be helpless in bed?

WRIGHT'S RHEUMATIC REMEDY
has cured 90 per cent of the persons who have taken it. We guarantee to cure you or refund your money.

Wright's Rheumatic Remedy is no experiment, the test period is passed. Many cases of Rheumatism and kidney trouble cured by only one bottle of our remedy, taken internally, once in 24 hours. Don't be a victim until you are cured. You can now avoid it. Ask your druggist. If he will not supply you send us one dollar for a bottle.

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD

January 12, 1901.

SOUTH BOUND—121		255	103	101
Leave	Paducah	6:00 pm	8:00 pm	8:15 pm
Arrive	St. Louis	6:40 pm	8:40 pm	8:55 pm
Leave	St. Louis	7:00 am	9:00 am	9:15 am
Arrive	Paducah	7:40 am	9:40 am	9:55 am
Leave	Paducah	11:35 am	1:00 pm	1:15 pm
Arrive	St. Louis	12:15 pm	1:40 pm	1:55 pm
Leave	St. Louis	1:30 pm	3:00 pm	3:15 pm
Arrive	Paducah	2:10 pm	3:40 pm	3:55 pm
Leave	Paducah	3:15 pm	4:40 pm	4:55 pm
Arrive	St. Louis	3:55 pm	5:20 pm	5:35 pm
Leave	St. Louis	5:40 pm	7:00 pm	7:15 pm
Arrive	Paducah	6:20 pm	7:50 pm	8:05 pm
Leave	Paducah	8:40 pm	10:00 pm	10:15 pm
Arrive	St. Louis	9:20 pm	10:50 pm	11:05 pm

NORTH BOUND—122		354	102	104
Leave	Paducah	7:30 am	9:00 am	9:15 am
Arrive	St. Louis	8:10 am	9:40 am	9:55 am
Leave	St. Louis	10:00 am	11:30 am	11:45 am
Arrive	Paducah	10:40 am	12:10 pm	12:25 pm
Leave	Paducah	11:45 am	1:10 pm	1:25 pm
Arrive	St. Louis	12:25 pm	1:50 pm	2:05 pm
Leave	St. Louis	2:10 pm	3:40 pm	3:55 pm
Arrive	Paducah	2:50 pm	4:20 pm	4:35 pm
Leave	Paducah	4:55 pm	6:20 pm	6:35 pm
Arrive	St. Louis	5:35 pm	7:00 pm	7:15 pm
Leave	St. Louis	7:00 am	8:30 am	8:45 am
Arrive	Paducah	7:40 am	9:10 am	9:25 am

ST. LOUIS DIVISION.		356	374
Leave	St. Louis	12:15 pm	1:40 pm
Arrive	Paducah	1:00 pm	2:25 pm
Leave	Paducah	2:10 pm	3:40 pm
Arrive	St. Louis	2:50 pm	4:20 pm
Leave	St. Louis	4:10 pm	5:40 pm
Arrive	Paducah	4:50 pm	6:20 pm
Leave	Paducah	6:30 pm	8:00 pm
Arrive	St. Louis	7:10 pm	8:40 pm

HOURS FOR MAILS.

Mails arrive and are distributed as follows:
From Louisville and East—
Train No. 301 opens at 7:00 a. m.
" " " " 7:00 a. m.
" " " " 7:00 a. m.
From Memphis and South—
Train No. 302 opens at 1:00 p. m.
" " " " 1:00 p. m.
" " " " 1:00 p. m.
From St. Louis and West—
Train No. 303 opens at 9:00 a. m.
" " " " 9:00 a. m.
" " " " 9:00 a. m.

Mails close as follows:
For Louisville and East—
Train No. 301 closes at 11:00 a. m.
" " " " 11:00 a. m.
" " " " 11:00 a. m.
For Memphis and South—
Train No. 302 closes at 11:00 a. m.
" " " " 11:00 a. m.
" " " " 11:00 a. m.
For St. Louis and West—
Train No. 303 closes at 11:00 a. m.
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You Credit is Good.

HALF INTEREST SOLD.

Newman Decker sells for \$3,000, to Fay Bridge, a half interest in the newly incorporated churn company's products. The papers have been recorded in the county clerk's office here.

POST OFFICE INSPECTOR HERE.

Post Office Inspector S. C. Kilo, of Cincinnati, arrived this morning en route to Wingo, Ky., to investigate the blowing of the safe in the post office there one day last week. He will go down this afternoon.

HAD A SPECIAL TRAIN.

The "Evil Eye" company passed through the city yesterday en route from Fulton to Owensboro, on a special train. They had their own baggage car and sleeper.

FUNERAL TODAY.

The funeral of the late Charles Sexton took place at 3 o'clock this afternoon, burial at Oak Grove. His brother at Amory, Miss., has never been heard from.

"Help of all description wanted at the Famous Pants Factory." Apply either in person or by letter to L. L. WILSON, 223 Monroe Street, Paducah, Ky.

BADLY WANTED.

The Paducah Furniture M'fg Co.

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WE ARE SOLE AGENTS For FOSTER & CO'S FINE SHOES and carry no SHELVE WORN STOCK at Cut Prices.

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Everything in new styles in suits and trousers. Give us a call.

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LOCAL LINES.

—FOR Dr. Pendley telephone 416.

—Mr. Enoch Lynn has leased the new fair grounds and race track to use in training horses.

—Soul's for prescriptions. 12ft

—Dr. P. H. Stewart has received as a present from Mr. H. Calvin, a friend of Forrester, Ill., a fine Irish setter. 12ft

—Pure drugs a guarantee at Soul's. 12ft

—Grand opening Saturday night at Lee Walston's Saloon, 125 South Third street.

Mr. Hugh Burroughs, the shoemaker, has received notice from the supreme court, of Indiana, that by reason of limitation his suit against Peter Clayton to foreclose a mortgage for \$734 which was eighteen years old, had lost.

—Pure drugs carefully compounded. Soul's. 12ft

—The North Eighth street improvement will be finished by Contractor Ed Trevel in a few days. The thoroughfare has been completed almost to the corporate limits.

—Mr. Julian Greer and family have gone to McMinnville, Tenn., to reside. Mr. Greer to operate a stove factory.

—Wm. Karns and John C. Mariet, the contractors, have gone to St. Louis on business preparatory to bidding on the Ogilvie building.

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—There was a slight wreck at Newbern today caused by one train striking another from the rear. Only one car was damaged.

—Mr. W. W. Meadows will begin rebuilding the block recently burned at Fulton about April 1. The material is being hauled.

—Al Prince, a shantyboatman who yesterday ran away from the chain gang with five days to serve, has not been recaptured.

—Mr. Casper Jones' county coffee house license was transferred in the county court today to Messrs. Elliott and Standford.

—The Stoddard Manufacturing company of Dayton, O., today filed suit against T. A. Lyle, for \$51 on account.

—The rip-rap work on the tan yard fill was finished today by Street Inspector Utterback.

—The bowling alley was opened this morning and is doing a big business.

—The N. C. club will meet with Miss Maude Vance Friday evening, at 423 South Ninth street.

—The Ladies' Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Kate Stuart, 521 North Sixth street.

—Mr. Will Shelton's fourteen-month-old child died today at Mayfield from pneumonia.

—A most remarkable collection of rare economic plants and seeds is now being worked up by the department of agriculture. Barbour Lathrop, of Chicago, with David G. Fairchild, an assistant, recently completed a tour of the world, covering a period of two years and embracing travels which amounted to explorations, and Mr. Lathrop has given the results of the expedition, undertaken at his own expense to the farmers of the United States through the medium of the section of seed and plant introduction of the department of agriculture.—Washington Letter.

TIPS.

If you want anything or wish to part with anything try..... ME

WANTED—A good second-hand fire proof combination safe. Name lowest price and make. Address "W." care of this office. 7mtf

Will build a house on lot 32x52 on Broadway, between First and Second street, to suit tenant. Inquire at Sun office. 15ftf

A good chance, for a good man. Farm to let, for rent or on share. Apply 419 South Ninth street, Paducah, Ky. 1mtf

SOCIAL NOTES.

The Paper Hangers' union are preparing to give a big ball at the Palmer House on April 8th.

Mr. Zach Bryant entertained a few friends at cards at his home on North Fourth last night, and proved a most hospitable entertainer.

Mr. Douglas Bagby will entertain the F. L. C. club at his home, on Broadway near Ninth, this evening.

The Magazine club will not meet this week on account of the bereavement in Mrs. W. W. Powell's family. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Bertie Campbell next Thursday.

Mrs. Jake Wallerstein entertained at cards last evening in honor of Mrs. Max B. Nahn, of Bowling Green, and Miss Bing, of Cincinnati. It was a most delightful occasion.

BROOKLYN SCHOOLS CLOSE.

The public schools at Brooklyn, Ill., close tomorrow, one month earlier than usual, because there are no funds to continue them. It is claimed the state board of equalization so reduced the valuation of property that the revenues of the district were reduced \$600, thus necessitating the close of the schools, depriving the children of instruction and throwing teachers out of employment.

SPECIAL SALE.

For one week only.
2 lb can standard corn, 7 1-2c.
2 lb can table peaches, 8 1-2c.
3 lb can pie peaches, 8 1-2c.
3 lb can California peaches, 15c.
1 lb can plum pudding, 7 1-2c.
Choice prunes, per lb, 5c.
1 lb tobacco, good as Star, 30c.
Apple and peach butter, per lb, 5c.
Best northern potatoes, per bu., 55c.
Best clover and timothy hay cheap.
Everything else proportional.
Call and see us.
D. W. RANDOLPH, GRO. CO., 123 South Second Street.
Phone 59.

BOXING CONTEST.

Tomorrow night, March 8, at Odd Fellows' hall, corner Seventh and Adams streets, over John Moore's saloon, the first bout starts promptly at 8:30 sharp. Three first-class exhibitions as follows:
First, a certain raiser, four rounds, Alfred Blanks vs. Walter Shannon.
Second, six rounds, Alabama Kid, of Paducah, vs. Kid St. Lawrence, Jim Watts' sparring partner, of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Third, star bout, ten rounds, Jim Watts, of Louisville, Ky., vs. Geo. Brers, of Philadelphia, Pa.

Jim Watts, the middle weight champion of Kentucky and the south, has figured in a great many first class matches in the United States and Canada.

Special seats for whites. Tickets on sale at Lott & Turner's barber shop and Jno. Moore's grocery. General admission 50 cents. Reserved seats 75 cents.

Drew Straws for Office.
In Rush county, Kansas, there was a tie in the votes received by Mr. McCormick and Mr. Anderson for the office of county attorney. Before drawing straws, as provided by law, the men agreed that the winner should make the loser his deputy and equally divide the salary. Mr. McCormick, the Populist, won, and Mr. Anderson will be his deputy.

\$50 buys a good horse. Inquire at Sun office. 1ft

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For Men of Standing

There is nothing so effective in dress as the well tailored suit.

Our work is fine, tasteful and skillful, and our fine clothes for Spring wear are the most fashionable of their kind. They are the best representative of perfect tailoring.

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331 BROADWAY.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mrs. Joe Miller and son, Cliff, were called to Memphis last evening by the dangerous illness of Mrs. Dr. W. G. White, formerly Miss Lillie Haggard, of the city.

Mrs. W. E. McGary has arrived from Henderson and will have rooms at the home of Mr. W. M. Rawls, on Madison street.

Mrs. T. O. Furnish, of Birdsville, who has been visiting the family of Captain J. E. Williamson, has returned home.

Mr. Will Crow has gone to St. Louis for a visit.

Mr. James DeLong has returned from a visit in Missouri.

Mr. Dock Brandon, of East St. Louis, has arrived to visit his brother, Mr. Buck Brandon, of South Fifth street.

Mr. G. A. Lincoln and wife, of Little Rock, Ark., are in the city on a visit. Mr. Lincoln is now an engineer on the Memphis & Choctaw road.

Mr. Ed Woolfolk has returned from Chicago, accompanied by his son John, who has been attending pharmacy college.

Rev. J. H. Wright, who recently resigned his pastorate at the Baptist church at Fulton, has accepted a call to Union City, Tenn.

Mrs. A. A. Baisley returned today from the east.

Mr. L. W. Robertson, of the Equitable, left today for a brief trip up the road.

Mrs. J. L. Dunn and two children left this morning on a visit to friends and relatives at Metropolis.

C. R. Watts, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.

Mr. S. T. Payne, of Ogden's Landing, is at the Palmer.

Mr. Will P. Hummel and bride, who was Miss Leona Billings, arrived this morning from Louisville, where they were married yesterday.

Mr. W. L. Young returned this morning from Mayfield.

Mr. J. V. Harly went up the road today.

Mr. Bob McCann left at noon for Anchorage on a week's visit to his sons.

Mr. Ed P. Noble and daughter, Miss Marie, left last evening for Bi-loxi, Miss.

Mr. J. M. Burnley, of Woodville, a well known tobacco man, is in the city today.

Traveling Engineer Matthews came in at noon today.

Mrs. J. E. Strangbaugh has arrived from Metropolis to join her husband.

THE SICK.

Mrs. Angie Augustus is ill of a gripe.

Miss Mary Rogers is ill at her home on Sixth street.

Captain Joe Fowler is reported better today.

Hughson of Mr. Sullivan, of West Tennessee, is dangerously ill from pneumonia.

Mr. John Paley is critically ill and not expected to live but a few days.

Mr. Hawk Davis, of Smithland, who was operated on several days ago at the Eighth street infirmary, will return home tomorrow.

Fireman Wilford Rogers continues to slowly improve.

Mr. John Rehkopf continues to recover slowly.

Mr. Harry Lucas, who has been ill from dropsy for some time past at the post house, is worse today.

HUDSON'S TUSSELE.

SHE HAD A LIVELY TIME AT HENDERSON WITH THE WIND.

The steamer Hudson which passed down today from Cincinnati to Memphis, had a hard tussle with a heavy wind at Henderson. She was jammed against the wharftop, knocking it two or three feet up the bank.

Her lighter of coal, on the larboard side was grounded by the tempest, and when she started away had great difficulty in getting it off.

Two lines were broken and a ring bolt and stone pulled out of the levee by the steamer in releasing the stranded barge.

OUR VAUDEVILLE SHOW.



"Yesterday I saw a man drop feefy feet from ter window to de sidewalk down!"
"Killed quick, I guess!"
"Nien; not hurted even!"
"Dey was pigs' feet!"

Silk Thread Cleans Teeth.
Something more than merely brushing the teeth is required to keep them in good order. You should draw between them, after each meal, a little bit of fine silk thread. This will remove minute particles of food which the brush is unable to reach.

RAILROAD NEWS.



Mr. T. B. Lynch has retired from the position of assistant general passenger agent of the Great Northern railroad at St. Paul, to accept a more lucrative position at Philadelphia with the Philadelphia and Lehigh Traction company. This position was tendered to him some time ago by Mr. Tom I. Johnson, of Cleveland, who recognizes his great ability as a railroad passenger manager. Previous to going with the Great Northern Mr. Lynch has held other important railroad positions. He is well and favorably known in Kentucky, having been general passenger agent of the old Chesapeake and Ohio Southwestern, absorbed by the Illinois Central. Before leaving St. Paul for the east Mr. Lynch's associates in the Great Northern presented him with a handsome solid silver water pitcher. The friends of Mr. Lynch in Paducah will be glad to hear of his advancement.

A charter has been taken out at Nashville for the building of a railroad from Wayne county to the Tennessee river. It will be known as the Tennessee and Northwestern.

There is a report in Nashville that Mr. Horace F. Smith, general manager of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis, will leave that road to become president of the Seaboard Air Line.

The Big Four has contracted with the Schemmately locomotive works for twenty-five new engines, all to be delivered within sixty days.

Trafficmaster T. A. Banks is at Central City today.

Messrs. Geo. Richardson and Joe Henley, who have been Illinois Central car inspectors, have been appointed night watchmen for the southern railroad yards.

CALLED TO HICKMAN.

Rev. W. S. Roney, who has been at Fulton doing evangelical work and writing for the Baptist Flag, has been called to, and accepted, the pastorate of the Baptist church at Hickman, Ky., and will preach his first sermon Sunday morning. He will continue to contribute to the "Flag."

SATURDAY'S CONCANTENATION.

The Hoo Hoo are preparing for a great time Saturday night, when a large class will be initiated at Elks hall. They will first meet at the Palmer, march to the hall and after the work sit down to one of the most complete banquets ever given in Paducah.

DECORATION CONTRACT LET.

The contract for interior decorations of the new opera house was let this morning to Nosen & Toney, of St. Louis, whose bid was about \$2,800. This includes scenery, curtains, etc.

Mr. James S. Caldwell has succeeded M. G. Caldwell in the firm of Caldwell & Son, No. 110 South Third street, and is hereby authorized to make all collections on real estate and insurance due the old firm of R. G. Caldwell & M. G. Caldwell, the latter retiring from the firm. 5mtf

There will be an old folks' ball Thursday evening, corner of Fourth and Broad streets, given for the benefit of the Home of the Friendless. All good people are invited. Music will be furnished by Frank Jones' string band. 5mtf

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The John K. Speed leaves Cincinnati tomorrow for New Orleans.

The R. A. Speed arrived from Tennessee river yesterday at 4 p. m. with 25,000 ties.

The side wheel steamer Moselle made the run from St. Louis to Cincinnati, distance 750 miles, in two days and 16 hours. She blew at Cincinnati the same year she was built, 1835.

Capt. Oscar Barrett, who has been visiting at French Lick Springs, is due here tomorrow.

Owing to the defeat of the rivers and harbors bill, the steel boatbuilding industry around the Ohio Falls received a severe blow, and four prospective contracts were sent higher than Gilroy's kite, while several others that might have come this way were sidetracked indefinitely. The M. A. Sweeney Bros. company, of Jeffersonville, who are building two big steel dredgeboats in the south, will not be disturbed in that work, however, and on Monday next will ship four car loads of machinery to one of them at Mobile, while that for the one at Columbus, Ga., will follow a few days later.

The Pavonia arrived from Cumberland river this morning with a light tow of ties.

The City of Paducah did not get off for Tennessee river until 4 o'clock this morning. She had an immense trip of freight.

Our stock of W. B. Lock-Stitch Muslin Underwear is full and complete. It will pay you to see this line before you buy. Our saleslady will take pleasure in showing you whether you wish to buy or not. The W. B. Lock-Stitch is a standard brand and every garment guaranteed.

Our 50c gown is as well made as the better quality.

We have pretty match sets suitable for wedding outfits.

Our stock of Hamburgs and Laces cannot be surpassed.

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THE RIVER NEWS.



Cairo, 9.0, rise.
Chattanooga, 4.0, rise.
Cincinnati, 7.6, fall.
Evansville, 6.3, fall.
Florence, 2.9, rise.
Johnsboro, 4.4, rise.
Louisville, 4.7, rise.
Mt. Carmel, 4.3, rise.
Nashville, 4.1, stand.
Paducah, 6.2, fall.
Pittsburg, 8.6, fall.
St. Louis, 5.3, rise.

Observation taken at 7 a. m. River 5.9 feet on the gauge, a fall 0.3 in last 24 hours. Wind, southwest, a good breeze. Weather, clear and warmer. Temperature 33, Fell, Observer.

Capt. Jacob Glaser, aged 70, died in Paducah a day or two ago from pneumonia. He was widely known along the river and had been for thirty years on the steamer Charlie Brown, owned by the Pittsburg combine. He acted as captain and pilot on the boat and had never missed a trip as can be remembered.

Capt. John Steckfus gave a contract Monday to Ed Howard, the Madison, Ind., boatbuilder, for the construction of a packet boat to run in the Mississippi trade. The dimensions of the boat are: Length, 175 feet; depth of hold, 5 feet; beam, 37 feet; 16-inch cylinders, and a 7-foot stroke. She will be a sternwheeler and have new engines. She is to be ready by next fall.

A number of ice gorges along the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers let so shortly before noon Monday and started down without doing any damage whatever.

Captain E. J. Howard, at Jeffersonville, has contracted to build a new transfer steamer to take the place of the Eagle, recently wrecked at the Merchants' bridge, St. Louis. Her dimensions will be 150 by 28 feet, and she is to be ready in three months. The machinery of the Eagle will be used on the new boat, and some new features will be added to her.

The Hudson was due yesterday from Cincinnati, but owing to low water and rough weather she has been "thrown out of gear." She has considerable freight for this city and some reshipping freight for Nashville.

The Dick Fowler departed on time this morning for Cairo with a very good trip of people.

The Avalon left Chattanooga today for this city.

Temperature 44 at 10 a. m. Weather clear, with southwest wind. Business down on the wharf rather quiet today.

Five feet nine on the gauge here and falling. River still rising at Pittsburg and several towboats with coal departed for the south and more following today.

The John S. Hopkins having left here late last Tuesday for Evansville, will not report here until this afternoon, leaving on return trip as soon as she can get through her business.

The Tennessee is due tonight from Tennessee river and leaves on return trip next Saturday at 5 p. m.

The Sunshine is due from Memphis for Cincinnati tomorrow morning.

The Lyda, left for Johnsonville today with two barges loaded with corn. After delivering her corn she will proceed up the Tennessee for a tow of ties.

The John K. Speed leaves Cincinnati tomorrow for New Orleans.

The R. A. Speed arrived from Tennessee river yesterday at 4 p. m. with 25,000 ties.

The side wheel steamer Moselle made the run from St. Louis to Cincinnati, distance 750 miles, in two days and 16 hours. She blew at Cincinnati the same year she was built, 1835.

Capt. Oscar Barrett, who has been visiting at French Lick Springs, is due here tomorrow.

Owing to the defeat of the rivers and harbors bill, the steel boatbuilding industry around the Ohio Falls received a severe blow, and four prospective contracts were sent higher than Gilroy's kite, while several others that might have come this way were sidetracked indefinitely. The M. A. Sweeney Bros. company, of Jeffersonville, who are building two big steel dredgeboats in the south, will not be disturbed in that work, however, and on Monday next will ship four car loads of machinery to one of them